Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	Alabama	Class B Professional Educator	YES	NO	5 years	YES	There is no limit on the number of times that the certificate may be renewed. Renewal options include (1) 3 years of satisfactory education experience and either 5 allowable CEUs, which equate to 50 clock hours of professional development, or 3 semester hours of allowable credit; or (2) 5 allowable CEUs and 3 semester hours of allowable credit; or (3) 6 semester hours of allowable credit.
Type A	Alaska	Type A Regular Teacher Certificate	YES		The Type A Regular Certificate is issued to applicants who have completed an approved teacher preparation program from a regionally accredited institution of higher education. Additionally, applicants must have completed an approved Alaska Studies course as well as an approved multicultural education course. The Type A Regular certificate is valid for five years and is renewable.	YES	The Type A Regular Certificate is renewable upon submission of a completed application and transcripts showing 6 semester hours of credit taken during the life of the certificate.
Type A	Arizona	Provisional Elementary (K-8)	YES	NO	2 years	NO	
Type A	Arizona	Provisional Secondary (7-12)	YES	NO	2 years	NO	
Type A	Arizona	Provisional Special Education (K-12)	YES	NO	2 years	NO	
Type A	Arkansas	Initial Teaching License	YES		In Arkansas, the Initial Teaching License is issued following completion of preparation, and obtaining employment (although a teacher may elect to start the clock before obtaining employment). The license is non-renewable, and valid for one-to-three-years, during which time the teacher must successfully complete a performance assessment to convert the initial license into a standard five-year renewable license.	NO	The license is non-renewable, and valid for one-to-three-years, during which time the teacher must successfully complete an on-the-job performance assessment to convert the initial license into a standard five-year renewable license.
Type A	California	Preliminary Level I Education Specialist Instruction Credential	YES	NO	5 years	NO	
Type A	California	Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential	YES	NO	5 years	NO	

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	California	Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential	YES	NO	5 years	NO	
Type A	Colorado	Provisional License	YES	NO	This license is valid for three years. To advance to a Professional License, the teacher must complete a state-approved induction program through the local school district.	YES	The Provisional License may be renewed for an additional three years if holder is unable to complete an approved induction program.
Type A	Connecticut	Initial Educator Certificate	YES	NO	3 years	YES	If applicant has not served under the certificate, it is renewed for 3 years, as many times as requested, provided candidate meets requirements in effect at the time. If Beginning Educator Support and Training (BEST) assessment program not completed, renewal period based on time needed.
Type A	Connecticut	Interim Initial Educator Certificate	YES		1 year in order to defer testing requirements for applicants who graduated from an out-of- state teacher preparation institution or have experience in and lived out-of-state the year preceding application.	NO	No, if testing is deferred.
Type A	Connecticut	Interim Provisional Educator Certificate	YES	NO	1 year with a deferral of testing requirements	NO	
Type A	Delaware	Initial License	YES	NO	The duration is three years. Please see Item 23, Additional Comments.	NO	
2 I	District of Columbia	Provisional Certificate	YES	NO	3 years	NO	
Type A	Florida	Temporary Certificate	YES	NO	3 years	NO	
Type A	Georgia	Intern Certificate	YES	NO	2 years	NO	The certificate is nonrenewable.
	Georgia	Professional Clear Renewable Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	6 semester hours (10 quarter hours) of acceptable college credit, or 10 staff development units of Georgia staff development credit required.
Type A	Georgia	Provisional Certificate	YES	NO	3 years	NO	
Type A	Guam	Professional I	YES	YES	3 years	YES	Renewable for 3 years with 6 semester hours
Туре А	Idaho	Early Childhood/E.C. Spec Educ Blended Certificate (Birth Grade 3)			5 years	YES	No limit; 5 years
Type A	Idaho	Exceptional Child Certificate (K-12)	YES	NO	5-year renewable	YES	Under State Board of Education rule, there is no limit to renewals.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	Idaho	Secondary School Certificate (6-12)	YES	NO	5 years	YES	No limit; 5 years
Type A	Idaho	Standard Elementary Certificate (K-8)	YES	NO	5 year renewable	YES	No limit; 5 years
Type A	Illinois	Initial Early Childhood Certificate (Birth to grade 3)	YES	NO	4 years of teaching	YES	Three renewals for a maximum of 12 years, until 4 years of teaching are obtained
Type A	Illinois	Initial Elementary Certificate (Grades K-9)	YES	NO	4 years of teaching	YES	Three renewals for a maximum of 12 years, until 4 years of teaching are obtained.
Type A	Illinois	Initial Secondary Certificate (Grades 6-12)	YES	NO	4 years of teaching	YES	Three renewals for a maximum of 12 years, until 4 years of teaching are obtained.
Type A	Illinois	Initial Special Education (Grades K-12) Certificate	YES	NO	4 years of teaching	YES	Three renewals for a maximum of 12 years, until 4 years of teaching are obtained.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal All Grade Education License (K-12)	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Early Childhood Education (Pre-K)	YES	NO	1 year	YES	1 year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Elementary Education License (1-6, & Nondepartmentalized 7 & 8)	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Junior High/Middle School Education License	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Kindergarten - Primary (K-3)	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Secondary License	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	Indiana	Reciprocal Senior High, Junior High & Middle School Education License (5-12)	YES	NO	1 year	YES	I year, renewable on a yearly basis up to four times, providing the individual completes six semester hours per year. Holder must complete all testing requirements in the first year.
Type A	Iowa	Initial License	YES	NO	2 years	YES	If a person meets all requirements for the standard license except evidence of successful completion of a state-approved induction program or an approved alternative option or two years successful teaching experience based on a local evaluation process, the initial license may be renewed upon written request. A second renewal may be granted if the holder of the initial license has not completed a state-approved induction program or an approved alternative option or two years successful teaching experience based on a local evaluation process and if the license holder can provide evidence of teaching employment which will be acceptable for the experience requirement.
Type A	Kentucky	Provisional Certificate (Intern)	YES	NO	One year	NO	The certificate may be reissued one time if the candidate's internship was unsuccessful and the candidate has employment.
Type A	Louisiana	Type C or Level 1 Certificate	YES	NO	3 years	YES	Type C and Level 1 can be extended once, for 3 years.
Type A	Maine	Provisional Certificate	YES	NO	Duration: 2 years. The Provisional Certificate is the initial Maine certificate issued to individuals who have met all the requirements for their certification area. It is issued to recent teacher preparation program completers (both regular and alternative routes), and to individuals moving to Maine with prior certification and experience in other states.	YES	If not employed, unlimited renewal, 2 years each. If employed, renewable once for one or two years.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	Minnesota	Nonrenewable License (temporary limited license)	YES		A Nonrenewable License may only be issued to applicants who have completed an approved teacher preparation program, but have not met all licensure requirements. MN Rule 8710.0400, Subp.3-7 Applicants completing approved teacher preparation programs outside of Minnesota.  An applicant who has completed a teacher licensure program outside Minnesota, has met the criteria of subpart 3 & 3a, but has not completed the requirements of part 8700.2700 or 8710.0500, or both, shall be granted a Nonrenewable Minnesota temporary limited license.	NO	The Nonrenewable License expires in no more than three years from the June 30 nearest the date the license is issued.
Type A	Mississippi	Class A	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Indefinitely for 5 years each time.

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Type A	Missouri	Professional Classification I (PC1)	YES	NO	This classification, Professional Certificate I (PC I), is valid for a minimum of three (3) years from the date of issuance. Any additional areas(s) of certification issued during the valid dates of this classification will fall under the same classification regardless of the certificate effective date. Therefore, all areas of certification under the PC I classification will have the same expiration date.	NO	This classification is non-renewable, but may be upgraded to a PC II. The upgrade process includes:  1. Complete three (3) years of Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) approved teaching experience. Approved teaching experience includes at least half-time, contracted employment in Missouri's public schools or in accredited nonpublic schools;  2. Develop and implement a detailed plan of professional development, approved by the employing school district;  3. Serve with a mentor during the first year of teaching. The school will assign an appropriate teacher to be the PC1 teachers's mentor. A mentor is required only for first-year teachers with no experience;  4. Participate in a beginning teacher assistance program from a Missouri college or university;  5. Complete 30 clock hours of in-service education approved by and documented with employing school district;  6. Participate in the school's Performance Based Teacher Evaluation.
Type A	Montana	Class 2 Standard Teaching License: Elementary	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Indefinitely, 5 year increments
Type A	Montana	Class 2 Standard Teaching License: Secondary	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Indefinitely, 5 year increments
Type A	Montana	Class 7 American Indian Language and Culture	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Indefinitely, 5 year increments
Type A	Nebraska	Temporary Certificate	YES	NO	You can get a 1 or 2 year temporary certificate (2 year for individuals from states with whom there is a Mid-West compact agreement). This certificate is available only to persons who have graduated from an approved teacher education program in another state and/or been fully certified in another state but have not met our statutory requirements required of all Nebraska certified educators.	YES	The temporary certificate is renewable once for a total of two years; for states participating in the Mid-West compact, original issuance is for 2 years and is not renewable.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type A	Nevada	Initial License	YES	NO	3 years	NO	
Type A	New Hampshire	Beginning Educator Credential (BEC)	YES	NO	After three years of successful teaching experience the Beginning Educator Credential(BEC)is changed to an Experienced Educator Credential (EEC).	YES	The Beginning Educator Credential (BEC) is renewable. After three years of successful teaching experience it is changed to an Experienced Educator Credential (EEC).
Type A	New Jersey	Certificate of Eligibility (CE)	YES	NO	Lifetime	NO	
Type A	New Jersey	Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS)	YES	NO	Lifetime	NO	
Type A	New Mexico	Level 1	YES	NO	3 years	YES	Renewal to another Level 1, 3-Year License is permitted if the holder was not employed during the lifetime of the license. A sworn statement verifying that he/she did not use the license is required. Since movement to Level 2 License is based upon successful performance, a licensee cannot receive a higher level of license if he/she is not employed.
Type A	North Carolina	Initial License	YES	NO	3 years	NO	Persons who do not successfully complete the Initial Licensure Program can affiliate with a college or university, complete prescribed coursework, and be recommended for a new initial license.
Type A	North Dakota	Initial	YES	NO	Two-year license for initial applicants meeting ND standards.	NO	
Type A	North Dakota	Interim Reciprocal	YES	NO	Two years, though the applicant has a total of 4 years to complete all requirements.	YES	one time
Type A	Ohio	Provisional License	YES	NO	This standard license is issued for a duration of two years and is renewed with completion of 3 semester hours until the teacher is employed. The entry year of mentoring and performance assessment must be completed successfully before the teacher is eligible for the five year professional license.	YES	Unlimited until the teacher completes the entry year successfully, renewal for two years with completion of a 3 semester hour course in education or the content area of the license.

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Type A	Oklahoma	School License	YES	NO		YES	A license will be in renewable status until conclusion of the Residency Program, at which time a recommendation regarding certification will be made. A license cannot be reissued to an individual who has served two years in the Residency Program without receiving the residency committee's recommendation for a certificate.
Type A	Oregon	Transitional Teaching License	YES	NO	This license is issued only to out-of-state applicants who have completed a teacher preparation program in a state other than Oregon. The license is issued for 3 years.	NO	
Type A	Pennsylvania	Professional Instructional Certificate	YES	NO	6 service years with at least 24 credits prior to the end of the 6th year; 6 semi-annual successful evaluations of performance; completion of a induction program.	NO	To keep the certificate active, the holder must complete continuing education requirements every 5 years by earning 6 collegiate credits or 6 PA Dept. of Education approved in-service credits or 180 continuing education hours or any combination of the above.
Type A	Puerto Rico	Certificado Regular	YES	NO	6 years	YES	No limit on renewals. Each renewal is valid for 6 years. To renew this certificate, teachers must approve 15 credit hours in college level courses or the equivalent in professional training offered by the Department of Education or another entity approved by the Department of Education.
Type A	South Carolina	Critical Needs	YES	NO	One year	YES	Can be renewed twice for a maximum of three years.
Type A	South Carolina	Initial	YES	NO	Three years and candidate must have three years of public school teaching experience.	YES	One time for three additional years
Type A	South Dakota	Two-Year Nonrenewable Certificate	YES	NO	2 years	NO	
Type A	Tennessee	Apprentice Teacher License	YES	NO	Life of License = 5 years (Valid for 3 years teaching experience.) After three years teaching experience and a positive evaluation, it is expected that the teacher will advance to the "Professional Teaching License".	YES	Every 5 years (If the teacher has not qualified for advancement to the "Professional Teacher License". However, this license is only valid for three years of actual teaching in Tennessee.)

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Type A	Tennessee	Out-of-State Teacher License	YES	NO	Life of License = 5 years (Valid for 3 years teaching experience including up to two years out of state). After three years and positive evaluation, it is expected that the teacher will advance to the "Professional Teacher License".	YES	Every 5 years (If the teacher has not qualified for advancement to the "Professional Teacher License". However, this license is only valid for three years of actual teaching in Tennessee.)
Type A	Utah	Utah Professional Educator License, Level I	YES	NO	Valid for 3 years with continued professional development under district supervision.	YES	Continual renewal
Type A	Vermont	Level I - Beginning Educator License	YES	NO	2 years	YES	A Level I license can be renewed up until the educator has two full years of classroom practice. Once an educator has acquired two years of experience under the Level I endorsement, he/she must apply for a Level II-Professional Educator License.
Type A	Virgin Islands	Emergency	YES	NO	One Year	YES	Renewable yearly; no limitations on how many times certificate can be renewed
Type A	Virgin Islands	General	YES	NO	3 years	YES	Can be renewed every three (3) years.
Type A	Virgin Islands	Temporary	YES	NO		YES	Annually; no limitation on how many times certificate can be renewed
Type A	Virginia	Provisional License	YES	NO	3 years	NO	

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Type A	Washington	Residency Certificate	YES		It is valid for five years.	YES	Although Residency Certificate holders are expected to progress to the Professional Certificate during the life of the Residency Certificate, residency certificates may be renewed under one of the following options:  (a) Individuals who hold, or have held, a residency certificate and are enrolled in a professional certificate program may have the certificate renewed for one additional two-year period upon verification by the professional certificate administrator that the candidate is making satisfactory progress in a state approved professional certificate program. (b) Individuals who hold, or have held, residency certificates who have not completed provisional status with a school district or equivalent service with an approved private school in Washington may have their residency certificates renewed for one additional five-year period by the completion of 15 quarter credits (10 semester credits) of college credit course work (normally one hundred level or higher).
Type A	West Virginia	Provisional Professional Certificate - Three Years	YES		It is for three years.	YES	Renewable every three years
Type A	Wisconsin	Two Year Minor Deficiency License (for out-of-state applicants only)	YES	NO	2 years validity	YES	Yes, with progress made toward completing ancillary deficiencies.
Type A	Wyoming	Standard Teaching Certificate	YES	NO	Five years	YES	Renewable indefinitely for five-year periods
Type B	Alabama	Class A Professional Educator	YES	YES	5 years	YES	There is 1 limit on the number of times that the certificate may be renewed. Renewal options include (1) 3 years of satisfactory education experience and either 5 allowable CEUs, which equate to 50 clock hours of professional development, or 3 semester hours of allowable credit; or (2) 5 allowable CEUs and 3 semester hours of allowable credit; or (3) 6 semester hours of allowable credit.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Туре В	Arizona	Standard Elementary (K-8)	YES	YES	6 years	YES	Renewal of this certificate requires the completion of a professional development program after the most recent issuance or renewal of the certificate. A professional development program shall consist of activities that were completed during the valid period of the certificate to be renewed.
Туре В	Arizona	Standard Secondary (7-12)	YES	YES	6 years	YES	Renewal of this certificate requires the completion of a professional development program after the most recent issuance or renewal of the certificate. A professional development program shall consist of activities that were completed during the valid period of the certificate to be renewed.
Туре В	Arizona	Standard Special Education (K-12)	YES	YES	6 years	YES	Renewal of this certificate requires the completion of a professional development program after the most recent issuance or renewal of the certificate. A professional development program shall consist of activities that were completed during the valid period of the certificate to be renewed.
Туре В	Arkansas	Standard Teaching License	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Unlimited number of renewals
Type B	California	Professional Clear Level II Education Specialist Instruction Credential	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewal requirements: 1) the completion of 150 clock hours of professional growth activities; and 2) successful employment in a certificated position for at least 90 days. Upon meeting these requirements, the credential may be renewed as many times as necessary. Each renewal is valid for 5 years
Туре В	California	Professional Clear Multiple Subject Teaching Credential	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewal requirements: 1) the completion of 150 clock hours of professional growth activities; and 2) successful employment in a certificated position for at least 90 days. Upon meeting these requirements, the credential may be renewed as many times as necessary. Each renewal is valid for 5 years.

Type A, B, or C	State	Certificate Name	Initial Certificate	Permanent Certificate	Permanent Information	Renewable Certificate	Renewable Information
Type B	California	Professional Clear Single Subject Teaching Credential	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewal requirements: 1) the completion of 150 clock hours of professional growth activities; and 2) successful employment in a certificated position for at least 90 days. Upon meeting these requirements, the credential may be renewed as many times as necessary. Each renewal is valid for 5 years
Туре В	Colorado	Professional License	YES	YES	The Professional License is issued following completion of an approved induction program while holding a Provisional License.	YES	The Professional License is valid for five years and is renewable. It is renewable indefinitely.
Type B	Connecticut	Provisional Educator Certificate	YES	YES	8 years	YES	Duration of certificate renewed is determined on a case by case basis.
Type B	Delaware	Continuing License	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	The number of times that the license may be renewed is unlimited and each renewal is valid for 5 years.
Type B	District of Columbia	Standard Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Continually every 5 years.
Type B	Guam	Professional II	YES	YES	6 years	YES	with 6 semester hours
Туре В	Hawaii	Hawaii Teaching License	YES	YES	5 years	YES	There is 1 limit on the number of times a license may be renewed as long as the requirements for renewal are met. The draft administrative rules for the renewal requirements are currently under review by the Attorney General: HTSB is awaiting approval to take the rules to public hearing.
Type B	Illinois	Standard Early Childhood Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewable upon completion of Continuing Professional Development Plan.
Type B	Illinois	Standard Elementary Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewable upon completion of Continuing Professional Development Plan.
Type B	Illinois	Standard Secondary Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewable upon completion of Continuing Professional Development Plan.
Туре В	Illinois	Standard Special Education (K-12) Certificate		YES	5 years	YES	Renewable upon completion of Continuing Professional Development Plan.
Type B	Indiana	Standard All Grade Education License (K-12)	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	The license may be renewed every five years throughout the person's career.
Type B	Indiana	Standard Early Childhood Education License	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewable every five years throughout the educator's career.
Type B	Indiana	Standard Elementary Education License (1-6)	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	Renewable every five years.

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Type B	Indiana	Standard Junior High/Middle School License (5-9)	YES	YES	5 years	YES	May be renewed every five years throughout the individual's career.
Type B	Indiana	Standard Kindergarten-Primary (K-3) License	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	May be renewed every five years throughout the educator's career.
Type B	Indiana	Standard Secondary License (9-12)	YES	YES	5 years	YES	Renewable every five years throughout the educator's career.
Type B	Indiana	Standard Senior High, Junior High/Middle School License (5- 12)	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	Renewable every five years throughout the educator's career.
Type B	Iowa	Standard License	YES	YES		YES	This license requires 6 credits for renewal. It may be renewed throughout one's career.
Type B	Kansas	Standard 3-Year Certificate	YES	YES	36 months	YES	Unlimited
Type B	Kentucky	Professional Certificate (at baccalaureate level)	YES	YES	The initial certificate is issued for four years following the intern year. It is renewable for one five year period.	YES	The certificate is renewable for one five-year period. Candidate must complete YES5 semester hours for renewal and reach Level III in ten years.
Type B	Louisiana	Type B or Level 2 Certificate	YES	YES	Level 2 is not permanent; however, Type B is valid for life.	YES	For Level 2 licenses, teachers must complete 150 clock hours of professional development over a five year time period in order to have a level 2 professional license renewed. For Type B Certificates, if holder does 1t teach at least one semester within 5 years, 6 semester credits in approved courses must be shown.
Type B	Maine	Professional Certificate	YES	YES	5 years	YES	1 renewable limit; 5 years.
Type B	Maryland	Professional Eligibility Certificate	YES	YES	This certificate is available for certified teachers not employed. It allows them to maintain their existing certification status until they become employed or reemployed. It is good for five years.	YES	For successive 5 year periods with completion of 6 semester hours of acceptable credit.
Type B	Maryland	Standard Professional Certificate I	YES	YES	3 years	YES	One time at request of local school superintendent.
Туре В	Maryland	Standard Professional Certificate II	YES	YES	7 years	YES	May be renewed one time if certificate holder has not met the experience requirement to move to the next level certificate.

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Type B	Massachusetts	Initial License	YES	YES	5 years.	YES	If approved by the Commissioner of Education, an Initial License may be renewed once for one additional five-year period: a) The person has been employed for five years under a valid Initial license, and b) Submits a plan outlining how the candidate will fulfill the requirements for Professional licensure.
Type B	Michigan	Provisional Certificate	YES	YES	This certificate is valid for up to six years during which the teacher is expected to acquire at least three years of successful teaching experience and complete at least 8 semester hours in a concentrated area of study (planned program) or a master's or higher degree. If this does not happen, the provisional certificate can be renewed at least twice and possibly a third time. A renewal is valid for three years.	YES	This certificate is renewable 3 times as follows: First renewal requires completion of 10 semester hours in a planned course of study. Second renewal requires completion of 18 semester hours in a planned course of study. Third renewal requires sponsorship by the local school district or private school and approval of the MI Department of Education. Reference: R390.1129A of the State Board of Education's Administrative Rules Governing the Certification of Michigan Teacher; The document may be accessed at the MDE Website: www.state.mi.us/orr/emi/admincode.asp In addition to these renewals, and pursuant to Section 1531 (e) of PA 230 (2000), an expired Provisional Teaching Certificate may be renewed by the issuance of an Extended Provisional Teaching Certificate. Under the provision of this section, a sponsoring district or school may apply to the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) on the person's behalf for another Provisional Teaching Certificate within ten years after the expiration date of the person's initial Provisional Teaching Certificate. 'The Extended Provisional Teaching Certificate in the Extended Provisional Teaching Certificate in the person's initial Provisional Teaching Certificate. 'The Extended Provisional Teaching Certificate in the person's initial Provisional Teaching Certificate. 'The Extended Provisional Teaching Certificate.'
Type B	Minnesota	Professional License	YES	YES	5 years. http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/arule/8710/0300.html	YES	Renewable every 5 years. http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/arule/8710/0300.html
Type B	Mississippi	Class AA	YES	NO	5 years	YES	renewable indefinitely for 5 years each time.
Type B	Mississippi	Class AAA	YES	NO	5 years	YES	renewable indefinitely for 5 years each time.

Type A,	State	Certificate Name	Initial	Permanent	Permanent Information	Renewable	Renewable Information
B, or C			Certificate	Certificate		Certificate	
Туре В	Nebraska	Initial Certificate	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Renewable for 5 year periods based on completion of six credit hours or two successive years of teaching within the 3 years prior to application for renewal.
Type B	New York	Provisional Elementary Teaching Certificate (Pre-K - 6)	YES	NO	Certificate is valid for five years. During this period the certificate holder must complete a Masters degree, obtain 2 years teaching experience and obtain passing scores in additional certification examinations as required to reach the next level of certification.	YES	Subject to approval by the Commissioner of Education for good cause. Can be renewed once for five years.
Type B	New York	Provisional Secondary Academic Teaching Certificate (7-12)	YES	NO	Certificate is valid for five years. During this period the certificate holder must complete a Masters degree, obtain 2 years teaching experience and obtain passing scores on additional certification examinations as required to reach the next level of certification.	YES	Subject to approval by the Commissioner of Education for good cause, once for five years.
Type B	Oregon	Initial Teaching License	YES	NO	The first initial teaching license is issued for three years.	YES	It is renewable once for a 3 year period with recencycoursework or teaching experience.
Type B	Rhode Island	Provisional Certificate	YES	NO	The provisional certificate, valid for three (3)years is the initial certificate in Rhode Island. The provisional certificate is issued to individuals who complete approved programs or satisfy all certification requirements and who achieve the established score on the Principles of Learning & Teaching Test (PLT).	NO	The provisional certificate requires the completion of six credits (three credits may be in-service credits, three must be college credits) for the issuance of either an extended provisional or a five year professional certificate. Individuals are entitled to the five year professional certificate if they have completed six credits and have taught in Rhode Island for three years. The extended provisional certificate is issued to individuals who completed six credits but did not teach in Rhode Island for three years. The extended provisional certificate is renewable without credits.
Туре В	South Dakota	Five-Year Certificate	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Indefinitely, for 5 year periods.

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Type B	Texas	Texas Standard Classroom Teacher Certificate	YES	NO	5 years	YES	Unlimited 5 year renewals of a standard teacher certificate may be granted, subject to the teacher meeting renewal requirements. Continuing professional development is required for renewal of the standard certificate. At least 150 clock hours of continuing professional education (CPE) must be completed during each five-year renewal period. Educators should complete a minimum of 20 clock hours of CPE each year of the renewal period. An educator renewing multiple certificates should complete a minimum of five CPE clock hours each year in the content area knowledge and skills for each certificate being renewed. At least 80% of the CPE activities should be directly related to the certificate(s) being renewed and focus on the standards required for the initial issuance of the certificate(s), including (1) content area knowledge and skills; (2) professional ethics and standards of conduct; and (3) professional development. Educators are encouraged to identify CPE activities based upon the results of their annual appraisal.
Type B	Virginia	Collegiate Professional License	YES	NO	5 years	YES	The license is renewable every 5 years.
	Wisconsin	Regular License	YES		5 years	YES	indefinitely for five-year periods.
Type C	Mississippi	Class AAAA	YES	NO	5 years	YES	indefinitely for 5 years each time.